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This is in response to the Office Action of 7 October 2003.

Applicants are proposing to amend claims 1-4, 7, 18 and 19. A complete listing of all of the claims in the application, including the text of each pending claim is presented on the following pages 2-14.

Applicants are also proposing to delete Examples 48-55 and to renumber Examples 56-59 as "Examples 48-51". The proposed amendments to the specification are set forth on the following pages 15 and 16.

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